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TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE OF THE ASYLUMS

FOR THE

COUNTIES of GLAMORGAN, CARDIFF, & SWANSEA.

TO THE COUNTY COUNCILS OF THE SAME.

IN accordance with Section 190 of the Lunacy Act, the Visiting Committee hereby present a Report for the past year, on :—

1*st.*—*The State and Condition of the Asylums.*— The buildings at both Institutions have received due attention and all necessary repairs. A small addition has been made to the Laundry at Angelton, so as to afford better provision for drying mattresses, and a tender was accepted in June for the supply of new drying closets, at a cost of £550, the drying being done by a current of fresh air drawn by a fan through steam coils, and forced into the closets. As this work is not yet quite completed it would be premature to express any opinion as to its efficiency.

Considerable trouble has been caused upon several occasions to the Asylums by the failure on the part of the Garw Water Co. to maintain the supply by reason of accidents occurring to their mains, and, as the storage reservoir at Parc Gwyllt from which both Asylums are fed can only hold enough for three days, the Committee think that some more land should be purchased adjoining the reservoir, and a reservoir be constructed capable of holding a fortnight's supply. In the event of fire breaking out this would also be valuable, and afford a greater sense of security.

The Committee reported to the Councils in April last the urgent need for making better provision for the extinction of fire at both Asylums, but regret that as yet no funds have been placed at their disposal for this purpose.

2nd.—As to the sufficiency of the Asylums to provide the necessary accommodation.—There are 14 men and 25 women more to-day than there were a year ago. Plans have been prepared for a block to contain 145 beds for women, and in view of the fact that the demand for accommodation for males is also gradually increasing, and that by the time the Infirmary Ward now in course of erection is ready for occupation, there will be a sufficient number of patients to fill it, plans have also been prepared for a similar block to hold 145 male patients and attendants. The whole of the above with plans of workshops for Artizans are now ready, and, after receiving the approval of the Commissioners in Lunacy and the Home Secretary, will be submitted to the Councils with estimates for carrying out the same.

3rd.—As to the Management of the Asylums. — The charge for patients during the year has been at the rate of eight shillings a week, as compared with eight shillings and ninepence, the average rate in other County Asylums, but it will shortly be necessary to raise this rate, as the balance at the disposal of the Committee has become too small to meet the various claims upon it.

The Asylum Clerk, Mr. William Jenkins, who has been in office upwards of 28 years, and is now 67 years of age, having applied for superannuation, has to-day been voted a pension of £60 a year subject to the approval of the Councils.

Your Committee again desire to express their entire satisfaction with the manner in which the arduous duties in connection with the two Asylums have been performed by the Medical Superintendent, Dr. Pringle. They also desire to record their high approval of the manner in which the duties of the Assistant Medical Officers at Parc Gwyllt and Angelton as well as the other Officials of both Institutions have been carried out.

DAVID DAVIES, Chairman.

December 1st, 1892.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMISSIONERS IN LUNACY.

GLAMORGAN COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM,

30th September, 1892.

We find overcrowding in this Asylum, and are therefore glad to report that the Committee have under consideration the building of two more blocks, part of the original plan of the Asylum The erection of the Male Infirmary block at Parc Gwyllt is in progress. Delay in apportionment of the cost of its erection between the County and certain Boroughs has retarded that work; but the foundations of the block have been laid, and the walls have reached the damp course. There is pressure for accommodation by reason of the large influx of labourers into the County, attracted by the high wages earned in some districts, many of whom through hard work, and excess in drink, become insane.

Dr. Pringle, the Medical Superintendent, has had a heavy domestic affliction, and has also been ill, but is at his post of duty, and is as zealous as usual in the discharge of his office. He has three assistants, but one is away on his holiday, and his place is temporarily filled by another qualified medical gentleman. We are pleased to hear that the services of the Medical Staff have been recognised by a rise in their salaries.

The patients have risen in number since our colleagues' visit in 1891 from 953 to 1008, the inmates of the male wards being 503, those of the female wards 505. No one is away on leave. Statutory allowances during absence would, we believe, facilitate trials in certain cases, and prove to be an economy of the public money in the end. There are only

four out county cases here, and but nine private patients. The other patients are 995 paupers, chargeable to the County and its Unions and Parishes, and three criminals.

The admissions to be reported are 446, the discharges 211, the deaths 200, the recoveries 138. The mortality for the year 1891 was, on the average daily number resident, in the proportion of 14·37 per cent. for both sexes, a rate considerably higher than has been usual here in previous years, and than the average in county asylums. This appears to have been partly due to fatal cases of influenza, of which there were 18 in 1891. During the 19 months since the Commissioners' last visit, 46 deaths, or 23 per cent. of the total number, resulted from general paralysis, a disease which affects many patients admitted here. The causes of death were verified by post mortem examination in 145 instances. The coroner held inquests on the deaths of three men and one woman. One of these men died from pneumonia, accelerated by fracture of the ribs. The other two men and the woman died—as did all the other patients, with the single exception referred to—from natural causes, the men suddenly of syncope, the woman from exhaustion after melancholia, cellulitis, and pyæmia. Full particulars of the deaths, which were followed by inquests, were duly forwarded to our office. There have been one case of scarlet fever and two of typhoid fever, from which the patients recovered. Scarlet fever prevailed extensively in the district at the time. One of the typhoid cases appeared to be connected with a defect in the drainage (now remedied) of the building which the patient occupied. In the other case the cause of the fever was not ascertained, but the woman was a laundry patient, and she might have drunk river water from a washtub tap.

The water supply of this Asylum is not satisfactory. We learn that owing to defective arrangements on the part of the Garw Company, and the omission on their part to provide a proper storage reservoir, the Asylum has, more than once, lacked wholesome water, and after exhaustion of the small Asylum reservoir at Parc Gwyllt water had to be brought for the patients at Angelton from the river—an impure and dangerous source. We have suggested to the Medical Superintendent that, until a proper storage reservoir has been provided by the company, one of the Asylum tanks now used for river water for laundry use should be cleaned out, and kept as a reserve tank for drinking water.

As to the remarks of our colleagues at the last inspection regarding the hydrants and hose, we find that the Committee have instructed Messrs. Hawksley to examine and report upon the hydrant service of the Asylum, and we have seen their report, which will, we trust, bear early and good fruit.

During our inspection the patients exhibited little excitement in either division at Angelton or Parc Gwyllt. We saw the dinner of to-day and yesterday. The patients expressed no discontent with their diet. Water, however, is their only dinner beverage,except occasionally some get milk at that meal.

We perceive some improvement in the condition of their clothing. The bathing is weekly, but the laundry is still unable to turn out a change of linen during the week. This defect will, we trust, be remedied when the drying closets now in course of provision are at work.

We found the bedding in very good order, and facilities for cleaning the soiled mattresses are about to be provided by the erection of rooms to be appropriated for that purpose in connection with the laundry.

The attendants and nurses might perhaps do more in the prevention of bad habits of patients when putting them to bed.

No patient was in seclusion or under restraint during our presence in the wards. The latter treatment is only once recorded. The subject was a man who wore a "polka" for 17 hours, for surgical reasons. Eighteen men and seven women have, according to the records, been secluded—the former on a total of 82 occasions, for an aggregate of 413 hours, and the latter on 15 occasions for in all 46 hours.

Some addition has been made to the staff of attendants, to enable more leave of absence to be granted. The day staff at Angelton and Parc Gwyllt now consists of 58 men and 48 women, and the night staff of seven men and eight women. Changes are still frequent, though much is done by the Superintendent to add to the comfort of both sexes.

The employment returns tell us that 259 male patients and 349 female patients are working more or less—that is to say 51 per cent. of men, 69 per cent. of women, and these figures include 108 ward cleaners in the male, and 92 women chiefly so employed.

Dr. Pringle explains that the low percentage of working men is due to their having been workers in iron only to a great extent.

In the wards the religious literature has been leavened with secular, but Dr. Pringle complains that both sexes show much disinclination to look at any books of the latter description. The desks for newspapers which have been supplied at our instance have been found useful.

Divine Service is held twice on Sundays at Angelton, once at Parc Gwyllt, and performed both in English and Welsh. Very few of the patients are unable to understand and speak English.

The Chaplain is the same person who was in office in 1890. The congregations last Sunday were very small, only 376 out of 1,008 patients.

Many structural improvements have been carried out since last visit. The papering, painting, and decorating of several wards, besides the trapping and ventilation of drains, and the introduction of Blackman's fan into the wash-house, are improvements to be noticed. We hope that asphalting the paths in the airing courts at Parc Gwyllt will not be longer delayed, as their condition now affects materially the exercise of the patients after wet weather.

(*Signed*),

CHARLES PALMER PHILLIPS,

JOHN D. CLEATON.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour of submitting to you my report for the year just finished, and of laying before you the usual table of Statistics.

The Admissions of the year have again been numerous, amounting to 147 Males and 131 Females, or a total of 278. As compared with the previous year the Males show a decrease of 38, and the Females an increase of 8. Although we have so many more Males admitted than Females the nett result at the end of a year generally shows almost an equality of the sexes, owing to the greater mortality amongst the former than the latter.

The quality of the Admissions as regards prospect of recovery has been very bad, a much too large proportion consisting of cases of long standing, only 75 out of 278 having a duration under three months, and a history of several years duration was obtained in a great many of the cases. Insanity is often such an insidious disease that the relatives frequently fail to recognise the nature of the malady until it has become confirmed and hopeless. They are apt to set down the change of disposition, character and conduct to wickedness and not to disease, more especially as the sufferer may be all the time in a fair condition of bodily health, and able to carry on his or her occupation as formerly. The patient has thus not infrequently to submit to bitter reproaches and even actual cruelty before it begins to dawn upon the friends that they are acting unjustly. It can hardly be too often repeated that early treatment is of the most vital importance in insanity, and that the chance of recovery is lessened by every week of delay.

As regards the causes of illness in the Admissions, 54, or one-fifth were ascribed directly or indirectly to alcoholic intemperance, whilst in 147 or more than one-half a history of hereditary predisposition or of previous attacks was obtained.

Of the remaining cases various physical and moral causes, such as injuries, domestic troubles, anxiety, worry, &c., were alleged as the origin. Only two cases were believed to be owing to religious excitement, although this is popularly supposed to be one of the most common causes. Because patients under the influence of commencing melancholia or other form of mental disorder frequently read their Bibles more than has hitherto been their wont, the friends put this symptom down as the cause of their malady. I do not deny that as a result of revivals, where religious statements of a sensational or exaggerated character are made, cases do occasionally occur of insanity in unstable or ill-balanced minds, but such cases are comparatively rare. I am, moreover, strongly of opinion that a proper conception of religious truth and an honest and consistent effort to use its teachings as our guide in our every-day life and duties give stability and strength to the mental powers and enable many to resist the effects of even a strong inherited tendency to which they would otherwise succumb.

As to the forms of insanity assumed by the new cases there were nearly three times as many of the maniacal type as of the melancholic, and of the others 28 were of the congenital or imbecile class, and 32 were general paralytics.

There were *discharged* during the year 126 patients, of whom 87 had recovered, 26 improved to such an extent as to be able to be cared for by their relatives, and the remainder owing to reasons of settlement or chargeability were transferred to other Asylums.

The Deaths of the year numbered 105, consisting of 61 Males and 44 Females, and of these six were directly due to influenza and its complications, and several others were undoubtedly hastened by the weakening effects of the same disease. The death rate amounted to 10·5 per cent. on the average numbers resident, which was about one per cent. above the average of a series of years, but 4 per cent. below that of the previous year, when influenza played such havoc. A curious circumstance in connection with this disease is that upon each of the two occasions when it has occurred in an epidemic form it originated in the same Ward, and caused most trouble there, and it has now again broken out in this Ward, the only peculiarity of which is that it is built from North to South, and gets little direct sunshine. Consumption was the cause of death in 22 cases, which give a percentage of nearly 21 on the total deaths, and is considerably

above the average of former years, and was no doubt partly due to the lowering effect of the influenza of the previous year. Moreover, I do not think we should lose sight of the fact that this increase of consumption is at any rate coincident with overcrowded Wards however difficult it may be to estimate the effect of the latter as a cause of the increase.

The inmates at the end of the year numbered 1,017, and showed an increase of no fewer than 47 during the year. I think this fact strongly emphasises the wisdom of the action you have taken in having plans prepared for considerable additions to Parc Gwyllt. For those who know nothing about the circumstances to cry out about expenditure in carrying out what you are both legally and morally bound to do, is I think utterly unreasonable. Those who complain of your building palaces for the insane should visit our new Asylum and judge for themselves as to the possibility of erecting any buildings plainer or less ornamental; and as to the cost, you have really no power to economise more than you have been doing, since for each patient a certain amount of superficial and cubic space must be provided and all the necessary bath, lavatory, and other conveniences required for the safety and comfort of the patients, and without which neither the Commissioners in Lunacy nor the Secretary of State will pass your plans. It must also be borne in mind that the ideas as to health, comfort, and safety now prevalent are very different to what they were thirty years ago when our old Asylum was built, and what would have satisfied the demands of science then will not now. For example, where inferior absorbent plaster and soft wooden floors were then used, glazed bricks and vitrified tiles are now considered essential, and in the Wards polished pitch pine secret nailed floors are required to meet hygienic requirements. Moreover, the ideas regarding heating, ventilation, and drainage have during the past twenty years made great strides both in and out of Asylums, and whilst involving a higher initial expenditure result in raising the average duration of life and lessening human suffering.

I have more than once insisted upon the shortsightedness and folly of not looking sufficiently to our future needs, and providing adequate accommodation for the rapidly increasing numbers that we are called upon to take care of and treat. To board out patients is exceedingly expensive and very profitable to those who take them in, as you may judge from a neighbouring Asylum having built a handsome chapel from

the profits of the Glamorgan patients whom we were compelled to send away whilst our new Asylum was in course of erection. At Parc Gwyllt Asylum we have 48 men and 36 women more than we have proper accommodation for, and although a block for 104 men is now being built, it will probably be a year before it is finished, by which time at the recent rate of increase we will be able to fill it by emptying our infectious hospital of chronic cases and reserving the latter for its proper use. Now the two blocks for which plans have been more recently prepared will take at the very least as many years to build and get ready for occupation, so that it is of grave importance that as little delay as possible should occur in obtaining authority from the Councils to proceed. I have dwelt somewhat fully upon this matter, because, although the above facts are well known to you, they are not to many members of the Councils, who I am sure only require to know exactly your position to enable them to give you their cordial support.

Until permanent provision can be made for men I have just had a temporary wooden staircase erected giving access to four rooms in connection with the Stores at Parc Gwyllt, which will accommodate about thirty, and probably prevent the necessity for either refusing patients from the Unions or boarding them out.

During the past year new drying closets in connection with the Angelton Laundry have been fixed, the old ones having become unable to meet the wants of the institution. A powerful fan draws fresh air down a wooden shaft opening above the roof through steam coils and drives it into the closets. The result is very satisfactory, as the clothes have all the sweetness those have which are dried in the open air.

My warmest acknowledgments are again due to my Medical Colleagues, and also to all the other members of the Staff for able and loyal help.

To the Committee I tender the sincere thanks of my Medical Colleagues and myself for the kindly manner in which our services were recently acknowledged, the unanimity of the act making it doubly valuable. It would, moreover, be ungrateful were I not to heartily thank you for your sympathy with me in my great sorrow and bereavement.

I have the honour to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
H. T. PRINGLE, M.D.
Medical Superintendent.

23rd February, 1893.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

TABLE I.

Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year ending 31st December, 1892.

	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
In the Asylum, January 1st, 1892 ...				482	488	970
Cases admitted—						
First admission	124	106	230			
Not first admission	23	25	48			
Total cases admitted during the year				147	131	278
Total cases under care during the year						
Cases discharged—						
Recovered	43	44	87			
Relieved	13	13	26			
Not improved	8	5	13			
Died	61	44	105			
Total cases discharged and died during the year				125	106	231
Remaining in the Asylum 31st December, 1892				504	513	1017
Average number resident during the year				494·3	506·7	1001
Persons under care during the year ...				624	617	1241
Persons admitted during the year ...				146	130	276
Persons recovered during the year ...				43	44	87
Transferred to this Asylum				2	2	4
Transferred from this Asylum ...				6	5	11

TABLE Ia.

Shewing (1) the Previous Attacks among Persons Admitted during the year 1892, and (2) the number of Times they had Previously Recovered in this or any Asylum.

(1) Number of Previous Attacks.	Persons.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.
Have had 1 Attack	22	14	36
,, 2 Attacks	4	3	7
,, 3 ,, ...	2	4	6
,, 4 ,, ...	1	1	2
,, 5 ,, ...	...	2	2
,, 6 ,, ...	1	1	2
,, 7 ,, ...	2	...	2
,, 8 ,, ...	...	..	...
Unknown	...	...	...

(2) Number of Times Patients Recovered.	In this Asylum.			In any Asylum.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Once	10	11	21	4	4	8
Twice	1	3	4	2	...	2
3 Times	1	2	3	1	1	2
4 ,, ...	1	1	2	...	...	...
5 ,, ...	2	1	3	...	...	...
6 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Unknown	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE II.

Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges and Deaths from the opening of the Asylum to the 31st December, 1892.

	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Persons admitted during the period of Twenty-eight years	2307	1826	4133			
Re-admissions	333	394	727			
Total cases admitted				2640	2220	4860
Discharged cases—						
Recovered	695	663	1358			
Relieved	344	418	762			
Not improved	34	16	50			
Died	1063	610	1673			
Total cases discharged and died since the opening of the Asylum...				2136	1707	3843
Remaining 31st December, 1892 ...				504	513	1017
Average number resident during the Twenty-eight years				303 9	281·4	583 3
Transferred to this Asylum				222	239	461
Transferred from this Asylum ...				143	201	344

TABLE IIA.

Shewing the Admissions and Recoveries of Persons from 1864 to the present date, December 31st, 1892.

(Twenty-eight years.)

History of Recoveries of Persons.				The same, only omitting all persons transferred from other Asylums, &c.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Persons admitted during the 28 years	2307	1826	4133	2141	1703	3844
Of whom were discharged recovered during the same period, being 27·4 per cent. of persons admitted ...	593	540	1133	576	526	1102 (28·7)
Of whom were re-admitted relapsed...	128	123	251	128	122	250
Leaving recovered persons who have not relapsed	465	417	882	448	404	852
Relapsed persons discharged recovered	40	45	85	40	44	84
Nett recovered persons, being 23·4 per cent. of persons admitted ...	505	462	967	488	448	936 (24·3)

TABLE III.

Showing the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, with the mean Annual Mortality and proportion of Recoveries per cent. of the Admissions for each year since the opening of the Asylum, November 4th, 1864.

Year.	Admitted.			Discharged. Recovered.			Discharged. Relieved.			Discharged. Not Improved.			Died.			Remaining 31st December in each year.			Average Numbers Resident.			Percentage of Recoveries on Admissions.			Percentage of Deaths on average Numbers Resident.			Percentage of Deaths on the Total Number under Treatment.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
1864	41	...	41																											
1865	106	105	211	10	8	18	1	...	1	...	...	...	4	2	6	132	95	227	83·4	53·4	136·8	37·0	36·4	36·7	4·8	3·8	4·3	2·7	1·9	2·3
1866	49	41	90	11	11	22	1	3	4	...	...	..	13	0	13	156	122	278	145·5	110·3	255·8	22·4	26·8	24·4	8·9	0	5·5	7·1	0	4·1
1867	53	45	98	11	18	29	1	3	4	...	...	...	17	3	20	180	143	323	167·6	132·9	300·5	20·7	40·0	29·6	10·1	2·2	6·6	8·1	1·8	5·3
1868	68	48	116	22	16	38	4	3	7	...	...	...	28	7	35	194	165	359	189·8	153·7	343·5	32·4	33·3	32·8	14·7	4·5	10·2	11·2	3·6	7·9
1869	53	32	85	22	15	37	1	6	7	...	1	1	26	12	38	198	163	361	195·9	164·7	360·6	41·5	46·9	43·5	13·2	7·3	10·5	10·5	6·1	8·5
1870	47	67	114	11	14	25	4	6	10	...	1	1	18	15	33	212	194	406	205·8	180·0	385·8	23·4	20·9	22·0	8·7	8·3	8·5	7·3	6·5	7·0
1871	71	56	127	18	22	40	11	5	16	...	...	..	30	20	50	224	203	427	225·4	202·7	428·1	25·3	39·3	31·5	13·3	9·8	11·6	10·6	8·0	9·3
1872	85	55	140	26	15	41	7	5	12	...	...	...	38	15	53	238	223	461	231·0	215·0	446·0	30·5	27·2	29·2	16·5	7·0	11·8	12·2	5·8	9·3
1873	63	52	115	14	20	34	15	9	24	...	...	..	21	15	36	251	231	482	242·0	227·0	469·0	22·2	38·4	29·5	8·7	6·6	7·6	7·0	5·4	6·2
1874	65	76	141	22	19	41	18	13	31	1	...	1	33	12	45	242	263	505	245·0	245·0	490·0	33·8	25·0	29·0	13·5	4·8	9·2	10·4	3·9	7·2
1875	85	76	161	17	23	40	10	10	20	1	1	2	30	23	53	269	282	551	276·8	259·2	536·0	20·0	30·2	25·0	10·8	8·8	9·8	9·1	6.7	7·9
1876	82	66	148	22	31	53	8	9	17	...	...	...	41	21	62	280	287	567	272·4	286·0	558·4	26·9	46·9	35·8	15·0	7·0	11·1	11·6	6·0	8·8
1877	68	55	123	14	13	27	8	32	40	...	...	...	38	16	54	288	281	569	284·0	300·0	584·0	20·5	23·7	22·1	13·0	5·3	9·2	10·9	4·6	7·8
1878	92	64	156	19	21	40	6	30	36	...	...	...	45	26	71	310	268	578	302·1	274·5	576·6	20·6	32·8	25·6	14·8	9·5	12·3	11·8	7·5	9·7
1879	69	61	130	23	13	36	15	34	49	...	...	...	33	28	61	308	254	562	315·4	274·0	589·4	33·3	21·3	27·7	10·4	10·2	10·3	8·7	8·5	8·6
1880	87	61	148	30	14	44	31	16	47	...	...	...	23	15	38	311	270	581	314·5	263·1	577·6	34·4	22·8	29·7	7·3	5·7	6·5	5·8	4·7	5·3
1881	111	79	190	24	27	51	5	6	11	...	...	..	46	21	67	347	295	642	334·1	279·1	613·2	21·6	34·3	28·0	13·8	7·5	10·9	10·8	6·0	8·6
1882	102	84	186	26	42	68	22	30	52	...	...	...	50	20	70	351	287	638	346·5	285·3	631·8	25·4	50·0	36·5	14·4	7·0	11·0	10·9	5·2	8·4
1883	100	79	179	36	27	63	10	34	44	...	...	...	49	19	68	356	286	642	347·4	297·0	644·4	36·4	34·2	35·4	14·1	6·7	10·5	10·9	5·2	8·3
1884	96	82	178	26	25	51	35	28	63	...	...	...	42	22	64	349	293	642	357·7	296·5	654·2	27·1	30·4	28·7	11·7	7·4	9·8	9·2	5·9	7·8
1885	96	79	175	22	18	40	13	28	41	...	...	..	48	27	75	362	299	661	352·6	299·1	651·7	25·8	23·6	24·8	13·5	9·0	11·2	10·7	7·2	8·9
1886	90	93	183	37	32	69	21	16	37	3	...	3	31	23	54	360	321	681	366·3	313·3	679·6	42·0	35·2	38·5	8·5	7·3	7·9	8·9	5·8	6·3
1887	134	205	339	33	35	68	27	22	49	...	...	...	27	39	66	407	430	837	404·8	430·6	835·4	32·7	41·2	36·5	6·7	9·0	7·9	5·4	7·2	6·3
1888	121	111	232	31	35	66	13	12	25	...	...	..	49	41	90	435	453	888	411·9	443·2	855·1	25·6	31·5	28·4	11·9	9·2	10·5	9·3	7·6	8·4
1889	128	91	219	30	37	67	13	17	30	...		...	63	35	98	457	455	912	449·0	450·1	899·1	23·5	40·7	30·6	14·0	7·8	10·9	11·2	6·4	8·9
1890	146	103	249	42	31	73	20	13	33	4	1	5	65	45	110	472	468	940	464·3	460·0	924·3	28·8	30·1	29·3	14·0	9·8	11·9	10·8	8·1	9·4
1891	185	123	308	53	37	90	11	15	26	17	7	24	94	44	138	482	488	970	483·5	477·3	960·8	29·1	30·3	29·6	19·4	9.2	14·3	14·3	7·4	11·1
1892	147	131	278	43	44	87	13	13	26	8	5	13	61	44	105	504	513	1017	494·3	506·7	1001·0	29·3	33·6	31·3	12·3	8·6	10·5	9·7	7·1	8·4
	2640	2220	4860	695	663	1358	344	418	762	34	16	50	1063	610	1673	Average or percentage.			303·9	281·4	583·3	28·3	33·1	30·4	12·1	7·1	9·7	9·5	5·7	7·7

TABLE IV.

Showing the History of the Annual Admissions since the opening of the Asylum (November 4th, 1864), with the Discharges and Deaths, and the Numbers of each year remaining on the 31st December of the Year reported on.

Year.	Admitted. New Cases.			Admitted. Relapsed Cases.			Of Each Year's Admissions Discharged and Died in 1892. Recovered			Relieved			Not Improved			Died			Total Discharged and Died of each Year's Admissions to 31st December, 1892. Recovered			Relieved			Not Improved			Died			Remaing of each year's Admissions, 31st December 1892.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M		T.	M.	F.	T.	M	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
1864...	41	...	41	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	..	.	...	7	...	7	3	..	3	...	...	...	27	...	27	4	...	4
1865...	105	105	210	1	..	1	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	15	25	11	27	38	1	1	2	74	51	125	10	11	21
1866...	48	40	88	1	1	2	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	1	...	1	17	15	32	2	8	10	...	...	...	26	13	39	4	5	9
1867...	51	42	93	2	3	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	18	21	39	3	6	9	...	.	...	28	14	42	4	4	8
1868 ..	64	43	107	4	5	9	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	23	16	39	5	10	15	1	...	1	34	17	51	5	5	10
1869 .	50	28	78	3	4	7	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	11	12	23	13	7	20	...	1	1	22	10	32	7	2	9
1870...	47	62	109	...	5	5	...	...	.	..	...	...	..	...	..	.	...	...	11	23	34	5	15	20	...	...	...	29	25	54	2	4	6
1871...	69	50	119	2	6	8	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	27	13	40	12	15	27	...	..	..	30	21	51	2	7	9
1872...	71	47	118	14	8	22	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	24	19	43	16	15	31	...	...	...	36	17	53	9	4	13
1873...	59	44	103	4	8	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	2	...	2	16	16	32	15	20	35	...	...	...	31	15	46	1	1	2
1874...	56	65	121	9	11	20		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	16	26	42	14	27	41	...	...	...	31	19	50	4	4	8
1875 ..	76	69	145	9	7	16	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...		1	...	1	23	28	51	15	18	33	1	1	2	45	26	71	1	3	4
1876...	75	59	134	7	7	14	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	1	20	20	40	11	15	26	...	...	...	40	21	61	11	10	21
1877...	60	47	107	8	8	16	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	14	17	31	12	16	28	...	...	...	37	17	54	5	5	10
1878...	80	53	133	12	11	23		...	...		...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	30	5	45	12	14	26	...	...	...	43	25	68	7	10	17
1879...	61	46	107	8	15	23	..	.	...	...	...	..		...	.	...	.	...	26	21	47	17	15	32	...	...	..	24	15	39	2	10	12
1880..	67	46	113	20	15	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	2	3	21	20	41	14	13	27	...	...	...	37	21	58	15	7	22
1881...	93	68	161	18	11	29	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1		1	26	33	59	19	20	39	...	...	..	54	18	72	12	8	20
1882...	93	75	168	9	9	18	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	33	39	72	17	17	34	...	...	...	40	18	58	12	10	22
1883...	86	72	158	14	7	21	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	1	2	3	31	25	56	14	25	39	1	...	1	37	17	54	17	12	29
1884...	85	67	152	11	15	26	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	23	27	50	19	19	38	1	...	1	40	18	58	13	18	31
1885...	85	71	156	11	8	19	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	3	26	16	42	10	21	31	...	...	...	43	29	72	17	13	30
1886...	74	76	150	16	17	33	...	...	...	1	...	1	.	...	..	1	1	2	28	34	62	14	11	25	...	...	...	28	24	52	20	24	44
1887...	91	74	165	43	131	174	...	...		...	1	1	...	..	..	2	9	11	35	32	67	18	14	32	2	...	2	44	53	97	35	106	141
1888...	102	94	196	19	17	36	..	1	1	1	...	1	...	..	..	3	1	4	33	47	80	11	11	22	...	...	...	39	28	67	37	25	62
1889 ..	105	75	180	23	16	39	1	..	1	1	1	2	...	..	...	3	3	6	38	28	66	12	11	23	2	2	4	47	26	73	29	24	53
1890...	127	94	221	19	9	28	3	2	5	..	2	2	..	1	1	6	3	9	42	29	71	14	15	29	7	3	10	38	23	61	45	33	78
1891...	162	108	270	23	15	38	16	19	35	5	2	7	4	2	6	21	11	32	43	34	77	11	6	17	14	6	20	49	21	70	68	56	124
1892...	124	106	230	23	25	48	23	22	45	4	7	11	4	2	6	10	8	18	23	22	45	4	7	11	4	2	6	10	8	18	106	92	198
Totals.	2307	1826	4133	333	394	727	43	44	87	13	13	26	8	5	13	61	44	105	695	663	1358	344	418	762	34	16	50	1063	610	1673	504	513	1017

TABLE IV.—*Continued.*

Summary of the Total Admissions.	Males.	Females.	Both Sexes.
Percentage of Cases Recovered ...	26 3	29 9	28 0
,, ,, Relieved ...	13·0	18·8	15·7
,, ,, Not Improved	1 3	7	1 0
,, ,, Died	40·3	27 5	31 4
,, ,, Remaining ...	19 1	23·1	20·9
	100.0	100 0	100·0

TABLE V.

Showing the Causes of Death during the Year 1892, together with the Ages at Death.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	10 to 15.			20 to 25.			25 to 30.			30 to 35.			35 to 40.			40 to 45.			45 to 50.			50 to 55.			55 to 60.			60 to 65			65 to 70.			70 to 75.			80 to 85.			85 to 90.			TOTAL		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
CEREBRAL :—																																													
Epilepsy							1		1											1	1																								
General Paralysis ...							1	1	2	5		5	4		4	5		5	1		1	1	2	3	1		1	1		1													1	1	2
Atrophy																									1	2	3																19	3	22
Exhaustion from Mania ...																1	1	2										1		1	1		1										1	2	3
Other Diseases of Brain ...	1		1													1		1		1	1														1	1							3	1	4
THORACIC :—																																											2	3	5
Heart Disease													1	1	1			1							1	1	2	1	1	2		1	1										3	4	7
Phthisis Pulmonalis ...				1	2	3	1	4	5		2	2	1	1	2	1	2	3	2		2	1		1	1		1		2	2	1		1										9	13	22
Pneumonia							1		1	1		1	1		1							1		1	2		2	3		3													9		9
Pulmonary Gangrene ...																	1	1	1		1																						1	1	2
Bronchitis																												1	1	2													1	1	2
ABDOMINAL :—																																													
Diarrhœa																									1	2	3																1	2	3
Tubercular Peritonitis ...													1		1																												1		1
Chronic Nephritis ...																															1		1										1		1
Intestinal Ulceration ...					1	1	1		1								1	1							1		1				1		1									3	2	5
Pyaemia											1	1																																1	1
Tuberculosis																												1	1															1	1
Influenza																									1		1																1		1
,, and Pneumonia ...																			1		1	1		1										1	1	2							3	1	4
,, ,, Pleurisy ...							1		1																																		1		1
Senile Decay																																		5	5	1	2	3		1	1	1	8	9
TOTAL	1		1	1	3	4	6	5	11	6	3	9	7	2	9	9	5	14	5	2	7	4	2	6	9	6	15	7	5	12	4	1	5	1	7	8	1	2	3		1	1	61	44	105

Ascertained by *post mortem* examinations ... ... Males, 44 ; Females, 29 ; Total, 73.

TABLE VI.

Showing the Length of Residence in those Discharged Recovered, and in those who have died, during the Year 1892.

Length of Residence.	Recovered.			Died.		
	M.	F.	T.	M	F.	T.
Under 1 month	...	...	...	3	1	4
From 1 to 3 months	10	6	16	5	5	10
,, 3 to 6 ,, ...	14	17	31	5	2	7
,, 6 to 9 ,, ...	7	9	16	4	3	7
,, 9 to 12 ,, ...	6	6	12	7	1	8
,, 1 to 2 years	4	4	8	9	8	17
,, 2 to 3 ,, ...	2	1	3	5	3	8
,, 3 to 5 ,, ...	...	1	1	5	6	11
,, 5 to 7 ,, ...	...	...	...	5	8	13
,, 7 to 10 ,, ...	...	...	...	2	3	5
,, 10 to 12 ,, ...	...	...	...	2	1	3
,, 12 to 15 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	2	2
,, 15 to 20 ,, ...	...	...	...	6	...	6
,, 20 to 25 ,, ...	...	...	...	2	1	3
,, 25 to 30 ,, ...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Total	43	44	87	61	44	105

TABLE VII.

Showing the Duration of the Disorder on Admission in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the Year 1892.

CLASS.	The Admissions.			The Discharges.						The Deaths		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
	M.	F.	T.	M	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
First Class— First attack, and within 3 months, on admission	35	40	75	17	26	43	7	5	12	15	9	24
Second Class— First attack, above 3 and within 12 months on admission...	28	17	45	5	7	12	4	1	5	13	5	18
Third Class— Not first attack, and within 12 months on admission	29	19	48	14	8	22	5	1	6	6	0	6
Fourth Class— First attack, or not, but of more than 12 months on admission	47	47	94	7	3	10	1	9	10	20	28	48
Fifth Class— Congenital	8	8	16	...		...	4	2	6	7	2	9
Unknown	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	147	131	278	43	44	87	21	18	39	61	44	105

TABLE VIII.

Shewing in Quinquennial Periods the Ages of those Admitted, Recovered, and Died, during the Year 1892, and of those remaining on 31st December, 1892.

AGES.	The Admissions.			Recovered.			The Deaths.			Patients Resident 31st December, 1892.		
	M.	F.	T	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
5 Years and under 10 Years	...	1	1	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	2	2
10 ,, ,, 15 ,, ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	1	4
15 ,, ,, 20 ,, ...	10	10	20	3	8	11	...	...	...	16	9	25
20 ,, ,, 25 ,, ...	12	11	23	3	6	9	1	3	4	28	22	50
25 ,, ,, 30 ,, ...	20	14	34	7	9	16	6	4	10	45	38	83
30 ,, ,, 35 ,, ...	20	15	35	8	7	15	6	4	10	67	60	127
35 ,, ,, 40 ,, ...	12	16	28	3	6	9	7	2	9	80	59	139
40 ,, ,, 45 ,, ...	15	14	29	7	2	9	9	5	14	61	56	117
45 ,, ,, 50 ,, ...	16	10	26	6	3	9	5	2	7	57	59	116
50 ,, ,, 55 ,, ...	15	13	28	5	1	6	4	2	6	52	65	117
55 ,, ,, 60 ,, ...	6	11	17	1	...	1	9	6	15	35	53	88
60 ,, ,, 65 ,, ...	11	6	17	..	2	2	7	5	12	27	36	63
65 ,, ,, 70 ,, ...	5	4	9	...	..	...	4	1	5	12	28	40
70 ,, ,, 75 ,, ...	3	4	7	...	...	...	1	7	8	14	16	30
75 ,, ,, 80 ,, ...		1	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	5	4	9
80 ,, ,, 85 ,, ...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	2	3	1	5	6
85 ,, ,, 90 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	1	1	1	...	1
Total	147	131	278	43	44	87	61	44	105	504	513	1017
Mean Age	39 9	40 4	40 2	36·0	31 1	33 8	46 4	51·5	48·6	42 2	45·3	43 8

TABLE IX.

Showing the Condition as to Marriage, in the Admissions, Recoveries, and Deaths, during the Year 1892, *and of Patients Resident* 31*st December*, 1892.

Condition in Reference to Marriage.	The Admissions.			The Discharges. Recovered.			The Deaths.			Patients Resident December 31st.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Single	72	44	116	15	15	30	27	12	39	326	194	520
Married	61	66	127	24	25	49	32	23	55	146	257	403
Widowed	14	21	35	4	4	8	2	9	11	32	62	94
Unknown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	147	131	278	43	44	87	61	44	105	504	513	1017

TABLE X.

Showing the probable Causes of Insanity in the Patients admitted during the Year 1892.

CAUSES OF INSANITY.	Number of Instances in which each Cause was Assigned. Admissions | No. of Cases. M. 147. F. 131. T. 278.											
	As predisposing Cause.			As exciting Cause.			As predisposing or exciting (where these could not be distinguished.			Total.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F	T.
MORAL:—												
Domestic trouble	1	...	1	5	15	20	...	...	...	6	15	21
Adverse circumstances	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2
Mental anxiety and worry	1	1	2	5	3	8	...	...	...	6	4	10
Religious excitement	...	...	..	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	2
Love affairs	...	1	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	3	3
Fright and nervous shock	...	...	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	1	2	3
PHYSICAL:—												
Intemperance in drink	13	5	18	27	9	36	..	..	...	40	14	54
Intemperance sexual	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Venereal disease	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Self-abuse (sexual)	...	...	...	4	1	5	...	...	...	4	1	5
Over-exertion...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Sunstroke	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Accident or injury	5	...	5	7	...	7	...	...	...	12	...	12
Pregnancy	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	5	5
Parturition and the puerperal state	...	1	1	...	10	10	...	...	...	...	11	11
Lactation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uterine and ovarian disorders	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Puberty	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Change of life	...	4	4	...	9	9	...	...	...	...	13	13
Fevers	...	1	1	5	2	7	...	...	...	5	3	8
Privation and Starvation...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	..	1	1	2
Old age	...	...	...	4	4	8	...	...	...	4	4	8
Other bodily diseases or disorders	1	3	4	3	2	5	...	...	...	4	5	9
Previous attacks	32	25	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	25	57
Hereditary influences	41	49	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	49	90
Congenital defect	...	...	...	8	8	16	...	...	...	8	8	16
Other ascertained causes...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2
Unknown	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	41	25	66

TABLE XI.

Showing the form of Mental Disorder on Admission in the Admissions, Recoveries, and Deaths of the Year 1892, *and the form of the Mental Disorder of the Inmates on* 31*st December*, 1892.

Form of Mental Disease.	Admissions.			Recoveries.			Deaths.			Remaining in Asylum. Form of Mental Disorder 31st December, 1892			Probably Recoverable with form of Mental Disorder on admission.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Congenital or Infantile Mental Deficiency :—															
(*a*) with Epilepsy	4	3	7	...	...	...	4	1	5	21	11	32	...	...	...
(*b*) without Epilepsy	4	5	9	...	...	..	4	1	5	35	51	86	...	...	...
Epilepsy acquired	9	8	17	...	...	...	3	3	6	53	37	90	...	...	...
General Paralysis of the Insane	24	8	32	...	...	...	20	3	23	42	16	58	...	...	...
Mania :—															
Acute	51	41	92	28	18	46	13	4	17	19	20	39	10	7	17
Chronic	19	25	44	4	2	6	6	9	15	140	144	284	...	2	2
Recurrent	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	6	10	16	...	...	...
A Potu	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal	...	7	7	...	3	3	...	.	...	...	5	5	...	5	5
Senile	2	3	5	...	...	...	...	3	3	3	1	4	...	...	...
Melancholia :—															
Acute	18	19	37	7	15	22	6	7	13	7	11	18	...	5	5
Chronic	8	3	11	3	1	4	1	3	4	34	26	60	...	...	...
Recurrent	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal	...	1	1	...	4	4	...	1	1	...	...	..	...	...	...
Senile	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...
Dementia :—															
Primary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Secondary	5	7	12	...	...	...	4	7	11	136	175	311	..	...	...
Senile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...
Organic (Coarse Brain Disease, &c.) ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	4	10	...	...	...
Totals	147	131	278	43	44	87	61	44	105	504	513	1017	10	19	29

TABLE XII.

Showing the Station or Occupation of Patients admitted during the Year 1892.

MALES.

Artist	1
Bakers	2
Bailiff	1
Basket-maker	1
Blacksmiths	4
Carpenters	12
Clergyman	1
Clerks	3
Clerk of Works	1
Coal-dealer	1
Colliers	24
Confectioner	1
Draper	1
Engineers	4
Engineer (Civil)	1
Farmer	1
Firemen	4
Grocers	2
Hauliers	2
Hawker	1
Ironworkers	2
Labourers	40
Masons	9
Master-mariner	1
Messenger	1
Overman	1
Painters	2
Plasterer	1
Plumber	1
Porter	1
Quarryman	1
Sailors	5
Shoemaker	1
Steward	1
Surgeon	1
Tailor	1
Teacher	1
Tinsmiths	2
No Occupation	7
Total	147

FEMALES.

Charwomen	7
Clerk	1
Grocer's Assistant	1
Hawkers	2
Housekeeper	1
Housewives	2
Nurse	1
Seamstress	1
Servants	15
Stewardess	1
Teacher	1
No Occupation	16
WIFE OF—	
Blacksmith	3
Carpenter	4
Collier	12
Customs Officer	1
Engineer	1
Engine-driver	1
Gardener	1
Grocer	1
Guard	1
Hairdresser	1
Haulier	2
Labourer	19
Manager	1
Mason	1
Plumber	1
Porter	1
Rivetter	1
Sailor	3
Salesman	1
Signalman	1
Shoemaker	1
Tailor	1
Tin-plate manufacturer	1
Traveller	1
WIDOW OF—	
Captain	1
Collier	4
Farmer	1
Hawker	1
Labourer	5
Mason	1
Pilot	1
Puddler	1
Sailor	1
Tailor	1
Waggon-repairer	1
DAUGHTER OF—	
Coal-merchant	1
Collier	2
Total	31

TABLE XIII.

Showing the Number of Admissions, and Deaths, in each Month.

MONTHS.	Admissions.			Deaths.		
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
January	9	13	22	9	5	14
February	13	15	28	7	6	13
March	13	5	18	5	1	6
April	13	23	36	5	4	9
May	13	11	24	2	6	8
June	17	9	26	9	6	15
July	11	11	22	2	3	5
August	15	4	19	6	5	11
September	11	7	18	5	1	6
October	6	9	15	5	3	8
November	19	12	31	3	3	6
December	7	12	19	3	1	4
Total	147	131	278	61	44	105

TABLE XIV.

Showing the Number of Cases received from each Union in 1892.

UNIONS.	Males.	Females	Total.
Bridgend and Cowbridge	9	7	16
Cardiff	45	56	101
Merthyr Tydfil	18	16	34
Neath	12	9	21
Pontardawe	1	1	2
Pontypridd	38	20	58
Swansea	15	14	29
Gower	...	3	3
Private Patients	6	5	11
County Prisons	3	...	3
TOTAL	147	131	278

TABLE XV.

Showing the Number of Patients in the Asylum on the 31st December 1891 and 1892 respectively and the Unions to which they are chargeable.

WHERE CHARGEABLE.	31st December 1891			31st December 1892		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Bridgend and Cowbridge	41	41	82	38	39	77
Cardiff	122	165	287	129	184	313
Cardiff County Borough	13	5	18	15	4	19
County of Glamorgan	7	2	9	6	2	8
Gower	6	6	12	5	6	11
Merthyr Tydfil...	60	71	131	62	73	135
Neath	48	48	96	50	45	95
Pontardawe	17	7	24	17	8	25
Pontypridd	74	49	123	93	50	143
Swansea...	85	92	177	78	97	175
Cardiff Prison	1	...	1	1	...	1
Swansea Prison	2	...	2	...	...	...
Private Patients	5	1	6	9	3	12
St. Saviours, London	...	1	1	...	1	1
Atcham	1	...	1	...	...	...
Fulham	...	...	...	1	...	1
Shepton Mallett	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total	482	488	970	504	513	1017

TABLE XVI

Pauper Lunatics and Idiots Chargeable to Unions in the County of Glamorgan on the 1st January, 1892 and 1893.

UNIONS.	1st January, 1892												1st January, 1893.											
	In Asylums			In Work-houses			In Private Houses			Total Lunatics Chargeable			In Asylums.			In Work-houses.			In Private Houses.			Total Lunatics Chargeable.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Bridgend & Cowbridge	41	41	82	1	1	2	5	6	11	47	48	95	38	39	77	2	2	4	2	7	9	42	48	90
Cardiff	126	165	291	13	10	23	23	17	40	162	192	354	134	184	318	12	9	21	25	19	44	171	212	383
Cardiff County Borough	13	5	18	...	...	...	..	...	...	13	5	18	15	4	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	4	19
County Glamorgan ..	7	2	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	9	6	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	8
Gower	6	6	12	2	1	3	4	7	11	12	14	26	5	6	11	1	0	1	4	7	11	10	13	23
Merthyr Tydfil ...	60	71	131	18	16	34	15	31	46	93	118	211	63	75	138	19	21	40	17	29	46	99	125	224
Neath	48	48	96	5	5	10	7	29	36	60	82	142	51	48	99	6	5	11	8	22	30	65	75	140
Pontypridd	80	51	131	8	6	14	8	6	14	96	63	159	100	52	152	18	11	29	9	5	14	127	68	195
Pontardawe	17	7	24	...	1	1	3	1	4	20	9	29	17	8	25	0	1	1	4	3	7	21	12	33
Swansea...	85	92	177	14	12	26	15	32	47	114	136	250	78	96	174	17	12	29	16	30	46	111	138	249
Out County Unions ..	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
Cardiff Prison ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	1
Swansea Prison ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...
Total	487	489	976	61	52	113	80	129	209	628	670	1298	509	516	1025	75	61	136	85	122	207	669	699	1368

PATIENTS' ORDINARY DIET TABLE.

	BREAKFAST AND SPPER.				DINNER.									WORKERS.			LUNCH to Laundry Workers.			
	Bread.	Currant Cake.	Butter.	Tea.	MEAT, uncooked, including bone.		Vegetables.	Bread.	Peas.	PUDDINGS Rice	PUDDINGS Peas	PUDDINGS Suet	Bread.	Cheese.	Milk.	Bread.	Butter.	Tea.	Sugar.
	M. F. oz.	M. F. oz.	oz.	pt.	M. F. oz		lb.	oz.	oz.	lb.	oz.	oz.	M. F. oz.	M. F. oz.	M. F. pts.	oz	oz.	pt.	oz.
Sunday ...	... ...	8½ 6	...	1	4 3	Compressed Brawn ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	... ...	.. ...	... ...	...	...	...	...
Monday ...	8½ 6	... ...	½	1	5 5	Pork or 4 Bacon or Ham	...	2	...	...	12	...	... 3	.. 1	... ½	3	½	½	¼
Tuesday ...	8½ 6	... ...	½	1	5 5	Irish Stew	...	2	...	...	...	...	.. ...	... ...	.. ...	3	½	½	¼
Wednesday..	8½ 6	... ...	½	1	4 4	Pies	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3	1 1	½ ½	3	½	½	¼
Thursday ...	8½ 6	... ...	½	1	6 6	Boiled	1	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	... ..	... ...	3	½	½	¼
Friday ...	8½ 6	... ...	½	1	2 2	Pea Soup	...	2	2½	...	...	12	... ..	... ...	... ...	3	½	½	¼
Saturday ...	8½ 6	... ...	½	1	7 7	Roast	1	...	...	...	...	...	3 3	1 1	½ ½	3	½	½	¼

To make Currant Bread the allowance for each is 1½ oz. Currants, 1 oz. Sugar, 1 oz. Fat, and Carraways and Spice.

,, Rice Pudding ,, ,, 2¼ oz. Rice, 4-10ths oz. Currants, 6-10ths oz. Sugar, and 1-7th pint of Milk.

,, Suet Pudding ,, ,, 1¼ oz. Suet, 4¼ oz. Flour, 4-10ths oz. Currants, ½ oz. Sugar.

,, Peas Pudding ,, ,, 4¼ oz. Peas.

The Tea is infused in bulk, and the allowance for Breakfast and Supper each is ⅛ oz. Tea, ½ oz. Sugar per meal, and 1 pint Milk weekly. Fresh Vegetables are given in season, and Fruit frequently during the summer.

Beef Tea, Eggs, Arrowroot, Milk, Mince Meat, Wines and Spirits are given to the Sick at the discretion of the Medical Officers

SALARIES, WAGES, AND ALLOWANCES.

	Salary.	Allowances.
Medical Superintendent ..	£1000	House, Coal, Gas, Laundry, Garden Produce, Groom, Hay and Straw for Two Horses.
Deputy Medical Superintendent ...	250	Furnished Rooms, Attendance, Board, Laundry.
Second Assistant Medical Officer (Parc Gwyllt)	200	,, ,, ,, ,,
Third Assistant Medical Officer (Angelton)	150	,, ,, ,, ,,
Chaplain	250	None.
Clerk to the Visitors...	30	,,
Clerk of the Asylum	110	House and Garden.
Assistant Clerk	60	None.
Storekeeper (Angelton)	120	House and Garden.
Storekeeper (Parc Gwyllt)	100	None.
Clerk of Works	130	Board, Lodging, Laundry, and Hay and Straw for One Horse.
Housekeeper (Angelton)	40	Board, Lodging, Laundry.
,, (Parc Gwyllt)... ..	40	,, ,, ,,
Head Male Attendant	60	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
Married Couple..	60	,, ,, ,, ,,
,, ,, ...	56	,, ,, ,, ,,
Chief Tailor	66	Lodge, Vegetables, Coals, Gas, Uniform.
Junior ,, ...	34	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
One Male Attendant	62	House, Garden, Uniform.
Chief Night Male Attendant ...	74	Tea, &c., during night.
One ,, ,, ,, ...	68	,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ,, ...	66	,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ,, ...	64	,, ,,
One ,, ,, ,, ...	32	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
One Male Attendant...	52	,, ,, ,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ...	48	,, ,, ,, ,,
One ,, ,, ...	44	,, ,, ,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ...	40	,, ,, ,, ,,
One ,, ,, ...	38	,, ,, ,, ,,
Nine ,, ,, ...	36	,, ,, ,, ,,
One ,, ,, ...	34	,, ,, ,, ,,
Five ,, ,, ...	32	,, ,, ,, ,,
Four ,, ,, ...	30	,, ,, ,, ,,
Seventeen ,, ...	28	,, ,, ,, ,,
Hall Porter	36	,, ,, ,, ,,
Store ,, ...	30	,, ,, ,, ,,
Two Mess Boys (Angelton) ...	12	,, ,, ,, ,,
One ,, Boy (Parc Gwyllt) ...	18	,, ,, ,, ,,
Store Carter	22	,, ,, ,, ,,
Chief Shoe Maker	46	,, ,, ,, ,,
Head Female Attendant (Angelton)	60	Board, Lodging, Laundry.
,, ,, ,, (Parc Gwyllt)	40	,, ,, ,,
Chief Female Night Attendant (Angelton)	26	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
Chief Female Night Attendant (Parc Gwyllt)	40	Without Board or Lodging.
Two Female Night Attendants ...	22	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
One ,, ,, ,, ...	20	,, ,, ,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ,, ...	18	,, ,, ,, ,,
One Day Female Attendant ...	30	,, ,, ,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ,, ...	28	,, ,, ,, ,,
Two ,, ,, ,, ...	26	,, ,, ,, ,,

SALARIES, WAGES, AND ALLOWANCES.—Continued.

	Salary.	Allowances.
Four Day Female Attendants ...	£24	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
Eleven ,, ,, ...	20	,, ,, ,, ,,
Eleven ,, ,, ...	18	,, ,, ,, ,,
Fourteen ,, ,, ...	16	,, ,, ,, ,,
Laundress (Angelton)	30	,, ,, ,, ,,
,, ,, ...	22	,, ,, ,, ,,
,, (Parc Gwyllt)	26	,, ,, ,, ,,
Cook (Angelton)	24	,, ,, ,, ,,
,, (Parc Gwyllt)	24	,, ,, ,, ,,
Kitchen Maid	20	,, ,, ,, ,,
,, ...	18	,, ,, ,, ,,
House Maid	20	,, ,, ,, ,,
,, ...	18	,, ,, ,, ,,
One Dairy Maid	16	,, ,, ,, ,,
One Dining Hall Maid	14	,, ,, ,, ,,
One Scullery Maid	16	,, ,, ,, ,,
One ,, ...	12	,, ,, ,, ,,
One Vegetable Room Maid	16	,, ,, ,, ,,
One under House Maid	12	,, ,, ,, ,,
Engineer (Angelton)	90	House, Vegetables, Gas, Coals.
,, (Parc Gwyllt)	84	,, ,, ,, ,,
Farm Bailiff	130	House, Vegetables, Coal.
Baker (Angelton)	72	House and Garden.
,, (Parc Gwyllt)	38	Board, Lodging, Uniform, Laundry.
One Carpenter, per hour	7½d.	None.
Three ,, ,, ...	7d.	,,
Upho'sterer ,, ...	6½d.	,,
Mason ,, ...	8d.	,,
,, ,, ...	7½d.	,,
,, ,, ...	7d.	,,
Plasterer & Slater ,, ...	7d.	,,
One Painter ,, ...	7½d.	,,
Four ,, ,, ...	7d.	,,
Blacksmith ,, ...	7½d.	,,
Three Labourers, per week	21s.	,,
Gardener ,, ...	30s.	,,
Assistant Gardener ,, ...	25s.	,,
Coachman ,, ...	25s.	,,
Butcher ,, ...	25s.	,,
One Gas and Night Stoker (Angelton), per week	28s.	,,
One Gas and Night Stoker (Angelton), per week	25s.	,,
Yard Stoker (Boy) per week ...	14s.	,,
Stoker (Parc Gwyllt ,, ...	21s.	,,
Night Stoker ,, ,, ...	14s.	,,
Cowman and Wife ,, ...	23s.	House, Garden and Coal.
Two Carters ,, ...	20s.	None.
One Farm Labourer ,, ...	24s.	,,
One ,, ,, ...	21s.	,,
One ,, ,, ...	20s.	,,
One ,, ,, ..	18s.	,,
One ,, ,, ...	12s.	,,

AVERAGE PRICES

(CONTRACT OR OTHERWISE)

OF THE

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF CONSUMPTION

For the Years 1891, 1892, *and* 1893.

ARTICLES.	1891 and 1892						1892 and 1893.					
	Second and Third Quarters, 1891.			Fourth Quarter 1891 & First Quarter 1892.			Second and Third Quarters, 1892.			Fourth Quarter 1892 & First Quarter 1893.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s	d.	£	s	d.
Beef, per lb.	0	0	6¼	0	0	6¼	0	0	6⅛	0	0	6
Mutton, ,, ...	0	0	5¾	0	0	5¾	0	0	6⅛	0	0	6
Bacon, per cwt.	1	15	6	2	4	0	2	6	6	2	18	8
Cheese, ,, ...	2	9	0	2	11	4	2	13	4	2	12	7
Butter, per lb.	0	0	7¼	0	0	8	0	0	11¼	0	0	11¾
Margarine, per lb.							0	0	6	0	0	7¼
Flour, per sack	1	10	4	1	11	10	1 1	9 5	0 9	1 1	4 3	6 6
Lump Sugar, per lb.	0	0	2¼	0	0	2¼	0	0	2¼	0	0	2¼
Raw Sugar, per cwt. ..	0	17	3	0	15	0	0	15	0	0	15	0
Tea, per lb.	0 0	1 1	2 6	0 0	1 1	2 6	0 0	1 1	2 6	0 0	1 1	2 6
Oatmeal, per cwt	0	16	6	0	14	9	0	16	0	0	16	0
Rice, per cwt.	0	13	0	0	11	9	0	11	6	0	11	6
Currants, per cwt.	1	8	0	1	6	0	1	4	0	1	6	0
Raisins per lb.	0	0	3½	0	0	3¼	0	0	3½	0	0	4
Mustard, ,, ...	0	0	8	0	0	8¼	0	0	8	0	0	8¼
Pepper, ,, ...	0	0	10½	0	0	9½	0	0	9½	0	0	9
Snuff, ,, ...	0	3	10	0	3	10	0	3	10	0	3	10
Tobacco, Shag, per lb. ..	0	3	10	0	3	8	0	3	10	0	3	10
Split Peas, per bushel ...	0	5	6	0	5	0	0	6	0	0	5	3
Whole ,, ,, ...	0	4	6	0	4	3	0	4	7½	0	4	6
House Coal, per ton	0	17	9	0	16	6	0	15	6	0	15	6
Steam, ,, ,, ...	0	14	6	0	13	6	0	10	9	0	11	6
Gas, ,, ,, ...	0	18	0	0	16	6	0	16	0	0	15	6
Soap, Yellow, per cwt. ...	1	0	3	1	2	0	1	0	9	1	0	9
Soap, Soft, per lb.	0	0	1½	0	0	1½	0	0	1¾	0	0	1
Blue, ,, ...	0	0	10	0	0	9¾	0	0	11¼	0	0	11
Starch, ,, ...	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	3¼	0	0	3¼
Soda, per cwt.	0	3	3	0	3	9	0	3	6	0	3	6

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure

Part I.—MAINTENANCE

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand at the commencement of the year				1774	11	8
Goods sold, namely :—						
Farm and Garden Sales	185	1	8			
Kitchen Stuff and Old Stores	15	11	5			
Sundries (Water)	5	6	9			
				205	19	10
Sums received on Account of the Maintenance of Pauper Patients :—						
From Guardians of Unions and Parishes within the Contributory County and Boroughs at 8s. per head per week ...	20096	14	5			
From Guardians of other Unions and Parishes at 14s. per head per week ...	183	0	0			
From the Treasurers of Counties and Boroughs for patients adjudged chargeable thereto, namely :-						
Of the Contributory County and Borough at 8s. per head per week	561	19	1			
Private Patients	295	10	6			
Criminal Patients :—						
From Parliamentary Vote	98	10	0			
Funeral and Removal expenses :—						
From Guardians of Unions and Parishes	83	5	9			
From Treasurers of County and Borough	3	0	0			
Paid by Friends	3	0	0			
Prison Commissioners	13	3	7			
Other Receipts :—						
Glamorgan County Treasurer—Furnishing and Clothing for 80 additional Patients at Parc Gwyllt	1200	0	0			
Bank Interest	17	4	6			
Coroner for use of Room	0	2	6			
Carriage refunded...	0	0	6			
For Maintenance of Infant born at Asylum	0	9	4			
				22556	0	2
Total of Receipts and Balances				£24536	11	8

during the Year ended 31st March, 1893.

ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries and Wages (not including payments for labour appearing in the Farming and Gardening Account, nor comprised in the Building and Repairs Fund Account), namely :—						
Officers	2261	10	2			
Attendants and Others	4322	2	9			
				6583	12	11
Provisions (including Malt Liquor in ordinary diet)				5281	2	10½
Malt Liquor, Wines, and Spirits (not included in ordinary diet				49	18	4
Farm and Garden Expenses				5040	15	8
Clothing :—						
For Patients	1812	10	1½			
For Attendants	370	5	3½			
				2182	15	5
Necessaries (including Fuel, Lighting, and Washing				2587	13	8½
Surgery and Dispensary				144	0	4
Furniture and Bedding				1308	14	11½
Funeral Expenses				51	14	5
Transfers to the Building and Repairs Fund Account, namely :—						
Excess of Weekly Charge on Private Patients				111	2	11
Other Payments :—						
Establishment Charges				575	3	10
Removal Expenses				12	1	1
Balance in hand at the end of the year, viz.:—	£	s.	d.			
Treasurer	3711	1	3			
Clerk	121	19	6			
Farm Bailiff	13	18	4			
				3846	19	1
Less Balances on Building and Repairs Account :—						
Loans	3060	16	6			
Other Moneys	178	7	4½			
				3239	3	10½
				607	15	2½
Total of Expenditure and Balances ...				£24536	11	8

Part II.—BUILDING AND REPAIRS FUND.

RECEIPTS.

	Moneys Raised by Means of Loans. £	s.	d.	Other Moneys. £	s.	d.
Sums received from the Treasurers of the Contributory County and Boroughs, viz:						
Ordinary Repairs				2206	16	1
Additions, Alterations, and Improvements (under £400)				272	4	3
New Buildings and Extraordinary Outlay	8124	4	7			
Other Receipts :—						
Compensation for Broken Retorts				1	12	6
Transfer from the Maintenance Account, viz.:—						
Excess of Weekly Charge on Private Patients ...				111	2	11
Total Receipts ...	£8124	4	7	2591	15	9

EXPENDITURE.

				Out of Moneys Raised by Means of Loans. £	s.	d.	Out of other Moneys. £	s.	d.
Sums Paid on Account of Ordinary Repairs							1648	8	0½
Additions, Alterations, and Improvements (under £400)							210	11	1
New Buildings and Extraordinary Outlay				5063	8	1			
Payments to other Local Authorities :—	£	s.	d.						
Poor Rate ...	473	14	7						
Rural Sanitary Authority Rate	80	14	8						
							554	9	3
Total Expenditure ...				£5063	8	1	2413	8	4½
Balances in hand at the end of the year				3060	16	6	178	7	4½
Totals of Expenditure and Balances				£8124	4	7	2591	15	9

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE IN PARTS I. AND II.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Maintenance Account				22762	0	0
Building and Repairs Fund Account :—						
Moneys raised by means of Loans	8124	4	7			
Other Moneys	2591	15	9			
				10716	0	4
Total				£33478	0	4
Less Transfer from the Maintenance Account to the Building and Repairs Fund Account				111	2	11
Total				£33366	17	5

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Maintenance Account				23928	16	5½
Building and Repairs Fund Account :—						
Out of moneys raised by means of Loans	5063	8	1			
Out of other moneys	2413	8	4½			
				7476	16	5½
Total				£31405	12	11
Less Transfer from the Maintenance Account to the Building and Repairs Fund Account				111	2	11
				£31294	10	0

Part III.—FARMING AND GARDENING ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Sums received during the Year from Sales	185	1	8
Value of Goods supplied to the Asylum during the Year, viz. :—			
Beef, Mutton, Pork, &c.	3184	13	8
Poultry and Eggs	65	16	0
Milk and Butter	1106	1	5
Potatoes and other Vegetables	453	6	0
Value of Stock end of Year	1585	15	9
TOTAL ...	£6580	14	6

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Value of Stock at the commencement of the year				1303	1	3
Sums paid during the year in respect of :–						
Labour (not that of Patients)				741	8	0
Provender				758	1	1
Seeds and Manure				109	12	8
Stock (Live and Dead bought)				3377	15	2
Other Payments :—						
Rates, Insurance, and Tithes..	39	7	5			
Medicine Chest	4	12	6			
Veterinary Services and Sundries	9	18	10			
				53	18	9
Balance in favour of Farm and Garden				236	17	7
Total				£6580	14	6

HUGH W. DAVIES, CLERK OF ASYLUM.

VALUATION OF STOCK,

On 31st March, 1893.

LIVE STOCK.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
37 Cows	536	0	0			
1 Bull	15	10	0			
7 Horses	215	0	0			
11 Sows	51	0	0			
1 Boar	7	10	0			
45 Pigs	118	19	6			
206 Poultry	25	18	6			
4 Fat Beasts	72	0	0			
2 Sheep	4	0	0			
				1045	18	0

DEAD STOCK.

	£	s.	d			
Barley	5	7	0			
Oats	10	0	0			
Mangolds	30	0	0			
Cake, Cotton, and Linseed	24	5	0			
Hay	27	0	0			
Straw	12	10	0			
				109	2	0
Four-horse power Engine, Chaff Cutter, and Grinding Mill ...				157	10	0
Wagon, Carts, Ploughs, Harrows, Rollers, and other Farm Implements				266	7	3
Dairy Utensils				6	18	6
				£1,585	15	9

AVERAGE WEEKLY COST

FOR

Maintenance, Clothing, Care, &c., of Patients,

From 1st April, 1892, to March 31st, 1893.

	s.	d.
Provisions	3	1¼
Necessaries	0	11¾
Wines and Spirits	0	0¼
Surgery and Dispensary	0	0¾
Clothing	0	9¾
Salaries and Wages	2	6
Garden and Farm	0	9¼
Furniture and Bedding	0	5
Establishment Charges	0	2¾
	8	10¾
Less Receipts from Sales, &c.	0	1
Total average Cost per Head	8	9¾

Average Number of Patients Resident during the year 1014·5.

Weekly Charge for Patients from County and Unions to which the Asylum belongs	8	0
Weekly Charge for Criminal Patients	14	0
Weekly Charge for Out-County Patients	14	0

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